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WEST FELICIANA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION, INC.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2000

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

West Feliciana Community Development Foundation, Inc. St. Francisville, Louisiana

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial position of the West Feliciana Community Development Foundation, Inc. (a non-profit organization) as of December 31, 2000 and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of West Feliciana Community Development Foundation, Inc., as of December 31, 2000, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audit was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The accompanying supplementary information on pages 7 through 9 are presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

St. Francisville, Louisiana

January 19, 2001

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2000

ASSETS

Cash	\$	50,912
Property and equipment (net of accumulated depreciation of \$10,746)		16,414
Total assets	\$	67,326
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
<u>LIABILITIES</u>	e	0 621
Accounts payable	\$	8,631 6,748
Deferred revenue		1,160
Payroll taxes payable Total liabilities		16,539
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted net assets		50,787
Total liabilities and net assets	\$	67,326



STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

REVENUES	
West Feliciana Police Jury	\$ 277,000
West Feliciana Chamber of Commerce	39,161
Entergy in-kind contribution	31,000
Town of SF for museum employee	4,000
Other	10,136
	361,297
EXPENSES	
Annual meeting	1,909
Auto expenses	6,909
Building occupancy costs	31,000
Computer maintenance and upgrade	2,388
Current employee wages	161,617
Work force development/ job training	13,530
Part-time help	316
Payroll taxes and benefits	17,693
Furniture, fixtures, & equipment	2,335
Insurance	4,378
Janitorial	1,200
Marketing expense	16,204
Mileage - business & tourism coordinator	3,020
Office supplies & printing stationary	16,652
Postage	6,216
Professional fees - acct & legal	19,554
Compilation	2,400
Quarterly newsletter	2,476
Seminars education	470
Telephone	15,195
Website development & maintenance	10,278
Depreciation	7,067
Chamber directory	4,050
Miscellaneous	331
Contingencies	6,191
	353,379
Change in net assets	\$ 7,918



STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Increase in net assets	\$	7,918
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash		
provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation		7,067
Increase in other assets		8,250
Increase in accounts payable, deferred		
revenue and payroll taxes payable	 	(2,734)
Net increase provided by operating activities		20,501
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Purchases of property and equipment		(1,622)
Net increase in cash		18,879
Cash, beginning of year		32,033
Cash, end of year	\$	50,912



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. Nature of Operations

In 1999, the people of West Feliciana, organized a not-for-profit organization to study, provide, and sponsor planning in West Feliciana for community development for the improvement of the cultural, social, and economic aspects of the Parish, including the assessment of community needs for both the present and future, considering potential growth, population relocation, tax revenues, general land use and development.

The activities and objectives of West Feliciana Community Development Foundation include the promotion of the development of clean new industries and research in West Feliciana Parish, the promotion of economic development and increased opportunities for employment in West Feliciana Parish, the fostering, promotion, and furthering of the goals of elementary and secondary education in cooperation with the West Feliciana Parish School Board, and promotion and assistance to the governing authority for the Parish and St. Francisville to encourage research and development and increase opportunities for employment. Source of revenues for the Foundation comes from the West Feliciana Police Jury and the Chamber of Commerce.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the organization have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting and accordingly, reflect all significant receivables, payables, and other liabilities.

B. Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are stated at cost. Additions, renewals, and betterments that extend the life of these assets are capitalized. Maintenance and repair expenditures are expensed as incurred. Provisions for depreciation are computed using the accelerated method over five to seven year periods, the estimated useful lives of the assets.

When assets are retired or otherwise disposed of, the cost and related accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts, and any resulting gains or losses are recognized in the statement of activities for that period.

C. Use of Estimates

The financial statements include estimates and assumptions made by management that affect the carrying amount of assets and liabilities and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

D. Income Taxes

The Foundation is a non-profit organization that is exempt from income taxes under Section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment consisted of the following at December 31, 2000:

Office equipment	\$ 24,712
Leasehold improvements	2,448
	27,160
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(10,746)
	\$ 16,414

Total depreciation expense for the year ended December 31, 2000 was \$7,067.

3. RETIREMENT PLAN

The organization has a SIMPLE retirement plan covering substantially all of its employees. An employee may contribute up to \$6,000 per year. The organization will match up to 3% of the employee's annual salary. If the employee contributes less than 3% of their salary, then the organization will match that percent.

4. <u>IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS</u>

Entergy is giving the Foundation the use of their facilities for office space. For the year ended December 31, 2000, this contribution was recorded as revenue with the offset being recorded as an expenditure in the amount of \$31,000.

5. <u>DEFERRED REVENUE</u>

Deferred revenue for the Foundation consists of dues collected in 2000 for the use of the Foundation in 2001.



SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION



SCHEDULE I

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - GOVERNMENTAL REVENUE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

REVENUES	e 227 000
West Feliciana Police Jury	\$ 277,000
Entergy in-kind contribution	31,000
Town of St. Francisville for museum employee	4,000
Other	1,853
	313,853
EXPENSES	6,909
Auto expenses	31,000
Building occupancy costs	1,611
Computer maintenance and upgrade	158,887
Current employee wages	13,530
Work force development/ job training	316
Part-time help	17,693
Payroll taxes and benefits	2,335
Furniture, fixtures, & equipment	4,378
Insurance	1,200
Janitorial	13,250
Marketing expense	3,020
Mileage - business & tourism coordinator	16,652
Office supplies & printing stationary	•
Postage	5,270
Professional fees - acct & legal	12,380
Compilation	2,400
Quarterly newsletter	2,476
Seminars education	428
Telephone	15,195
Website development & maintenance	6,926
Depreciation	7,067
Chamber directory	1,075
Miscellaneous	331
Contingencies	6,191
	330,520
Change in net assets	\$ (16,667)

See independent auditors' report.



SCHEDULE II

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - PRIVATE REVENUE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

<u>REVENUES</u>	
West Feliciana Chamber of Commerce	\$ 39,161
Other	8,283
	47,444
EXPENSES	
Annual meeting	1,909
Chamber directory	2,975
Computer maintenance and upgrade	777
Current employee wages	2,730
Marketing expense	2,954
Postage	946
Professional fees - acct & legal	7,174
Seminars education	42
Website development & maintenance	3,352
	22,859
Change in net assets	\$ 24,585

See independent auditors' report.

SCHEDULE III

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

		vernmental Revenue			Total		Budget	
REVENUES								
West Feliciana Police Jury	\$	277,000	\$	-	\$	277,000	\$	285,000
West Feliciana Chamber of Commerce		-		39,161		39,161		24,500
Entergy in-kind contribution		31,000		-		31,000		31,000
Town of SF for museum employee		4,000		-		4,000		4,000
Other		1,853		8,283	<u></u>	10,136		-
		313,853		47,444		361,297		344,500
EXPENSES								
Annual meeting		-		1,909		1,909		1,500
Auto expenses		6,909		-		6,909		5,500
Building occupancy costs		31,000		-		31,000		31,000
Computer maintenance and upgrade		1,611		777		2,388		2,775
Current employee wages		158,887		2,730		161,617		168,210
Work force development/job training		13,530		-		13,530		18,000
Part-time help		316				316		3,000
Payroll taxes and benefits		17,693		-		17,693		21,325
Furniture, fixtures, & equipment		2,335		-		2,335		1,000
Insurance		4,378		-		4,378		5,730
Janitorial		1,200		-		1,200		2,100
Marketing expense		13,250		2,954		16,204		15,000
Mileage - business & tourism coordinator		3,020		-		3,020		4,000
Office supplies & printing stationary		16,652		-		16,652		15,800
Postage		5,270		946		6,216		6,000
Professional fees - acct & legal		12,380		7,174		19,554		3,480
Compilation		2,400		-		2,400		4,000
Quarterly newsletter		2,476		-		2,476		4,000
Seminars education		428		42		470		1,500
Telephone		15,195		-		15,195		10,880
Website development & maintenance		6,926		3,352		10,278		12,300
Depreciation		7,067		-		7,067		` -
Chamber directory		1,075		2,975		4,050		-
Miscellaneous		331		-		331		-
Contingencies		6,191				6,191		7,400
		330,520		22,859		353,379		344,500
Change in net assets	<u>\$</u>	(16,667)		24,585	\$	7,918	\$	



REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND INTERNAL CONTROL





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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND INTERNAL CONTROL

West Feliciana Community Development Foundation, Inc. St. Francisville

We have audited the financial statements of West Feliciana Community Development Foundation, Inc. as of and for the year ended December 31, 2000, and have issued out report thereon dated January 19, 2001. We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether West Feliciana Community Development Foundation, Inc.'s financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered West Feliciana Community Development Foundation, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more on the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, Legislative Auditor, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other that these specified parties. Under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the Legislative Auditor as a public document.

January 19, 2001

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